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Applicant	: Peter Williamson, <i>et al.</i>		
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**REQUEST FOR APPROVAL TO AMEND APPLICATION UNDER 37 CFR 1.312**

A Notice of Allowance, which contained examiner amendments, was mailed on September 3, 2009; however, Applicants wish to amend the application under 37 CFR 1.312 to modify claims that might be directed to more than one statutory class. Said proposed amendments, are needed for proper disclosure and protection of the invention and would require no substantial amount of additional work on the part of the Office. Accordingly, Applicants respectfully request approval to amend the application as proposed herein.

**PROPOSED AMENDMENTS UNDER 37 CFR 1.312 AFTER ALLOWANCE**

In response to the Notice of Allowance mailed September 3, 2009, Applicants propose amending the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 8 of this paper.